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## <u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 23, 2005 the time to respond. to which has been extend three months to August 23, 2054, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Please amend the claims as set forth in the listing of claims beginning on page 2.

Please enter and consider the remarks beginning on page 5.